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For: COVER FOR KITCHEN

4 sheets of formal drawings are included.

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Priority is claimed under 35 U.S.C. § 119 on the basis of the following foreign application:

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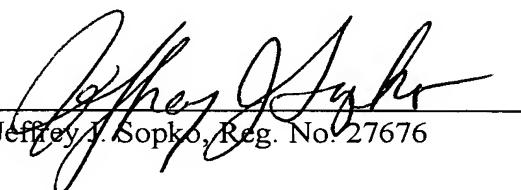
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